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OPERATION "SANTA" WEEKEND SOBRIETY CHECK POINT RESULTS

12/20/04

Operation S.A.N.T.A. (STOP ANOTHER NEEDLESS TRAGIC ACCIDENT) statistics for the weekend of Friday 6:00 p.m. 12/17/04 to Sunday Morning 12/19/04.

DWI Arrests- 66 people were arrested over the weekend during the DUI sobriety checkpoint operations

There were additional State Troopers working with local police departments across the state who were specifically assigned to these sobriety checkpoint operations.

Operation "S.A.N.T.A." will continue right through the New Year.

Commissioner of Public Safety Leonard Boyle reminds all motorists that State Police need your help to help make all of our roads safe. Commissioner Boyle said "use caution when you drive, always wear your seatbelt, and never drink and drive".

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